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CONTINUING APPLICATION INFORMATIONThis application is a **Continuation** of the following United States applications, each of which is incorporated herein by reference:

08/027,729, filed on January 14, 1993 and 07/607,458, filed on October 31, 1990.

SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Applicant hereby claims small entity status.

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